



AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION	Application #	10/014,308
	Confirmation #	3163
	Filing Date	13 November 2001
	First Inventor	LEAPMAN
	Art Unit	2173
	Examiner	Bonshock, Dennis G.
	Docket #	P1748US00 (P08384US00/RFH)

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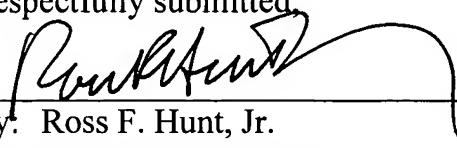
SIR:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed on January 25, 2006:

- A) please consider the responsive **Remarks** provided herewith in **Attachment A**; and
- B) please amend the above identified application as follows:
 - **Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of the claims provided herewith in **Attachment B**.

It is respectfully submitted that the application is now in condition for allowance.

Respectfully submitted,


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Date: March 23, 2006

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ENCLOSURES (check all that apply)

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 Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)
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FEES CALCULATION: For claims if required and/or other fees as shown below:

	NOW	Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Rate	\$
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> TOTAL CLAIMS	28	30	0	X \$ 50 =	0
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	5	5	0	X \$ 200 =	0
TOTAL OF ABOVE CLAIMS FEES =					
SUBTOTAL =					0
TOTAL OF ALL FEES =					0

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The Commissioner is authorized to charge any fee, additional fee or extension fee due in connection herewith to Deposit Account No. 50-0439:
 (1) if no payment or an insufficient payment is enclosed and a fee is due in connection herewith; or
 (2) if no petition for extension of time is enclosed but an EOT is required - and in this event, applicant hereby petitions under 37 CFR 1.136(a) for an extension of time of as many months as are required to render this submission timely.

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